Lee Soil District Makes Annual Report

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servation needs survey shows that more than a quarter of a million acres of woodland needs improvement within the Robert E. Lee District.

With technical assistance from the Virginia Division of Forestry and financial assistance from the state through the Reforestation Timberlands Act, landowners can turn their brushland into profitable woodland. Landowners may receive 50 per cent (not to exceed $20 per acre) of the cost of preparing land and planting pine. He may, in the place of taking a straight payment, receive a loan interest free, for up to 75 per cent (but not more than $30 per acre) of reforestation costs.

Probably the greatest contribution to the quality of the environment has come through working with the 5,445 farmers in the district. The conservation measures they have installed have a significant public benefit. Contour stripcropping reduces water run-off and soil erosion; farm ponds and lakes hold water on the land where it can be used for livestock, irrigation, and recreation. Less run-off means less erosion, less flooding, and adds to the ground water supply.

Improvement of vegetation cover in the District has been unusually successful. Most drainageways in cultivated fields have been stabilized with a vigorous permanent sod. Permanent pastures are being better managed, some for year-round grazing. Roadbank seeding by the Virginia Department of Highways will help clear the water. An acre of well managed grass not only furnishes oxygen, but has the cooling effect of a 70-ton air conditioner.

For more than three decades the Robert E. Lee Soil and Water Conservation District has been working to improve the environment through conservation on the land within the District. We continue to dedicate our efforts towards conserving our soil, water and natural resources. We enlist your continued support.

oriented, conservation must become a concern of the urban areas.

Watershed programs have been and will continue to be active within the Robert E. Lee District. Recent heavy rains have resulted in numerous floods throughout the district. After a decade of deficient rainfall and waning interest in flood protection, these floods have quickly renewed interest in watershed development.

Realizing the need to regulate stream flow, the conservation district has steadily continued to promote development of feasible watershed projects. Construction is underway in the Willis River project. Several of the planned flood retarding structures have been completed.

The Slate River project provides for other such structures. The Buffalo River Watershed Project is in the planning stage. This plan should be completed in the near future. Flood control structures and land treatment in Little Falling River, East Fork Falling River and Muddy Creek watersheds are complete. Several new projects are under consideration.

An inventory of natural resources has been completed for each county. The inventory, based on land and water conservation includes agriculture, forestry, recreation, water and soil. This inventory is an effort to bring together as much statistical, technical, and general information based on knowledge and experience as possible. This information is adequate for general use in making tentative plans for the orderly development of the resources of the counties.

Soil Conservation Service technicians conduct a sediment study in the basin of a drained watershed reservoir in Appomattox County.

Accumulation of mud indicates the amount of erosion from the drainage area.

GLADSTONE

Thought for the week:

Every kindness done to others in our daily walk. Every attempt to make others happy. Every prejudice overcome. Is a step nearer to the life of Christ.

Mrs. Bell Mundy is a patient in the Lynchburg General Hospital. We wish her a quick recovery.

Mr. Otto Casey is in the intensive care unit in Emmett Memorial Hospital, Clifton Forge, Va. Friends wish him a quick recovery.

Mrs. Ann Carter has returned to her home in Crewe. She spent several days here visiting friends.

Nellie Quinn, of Lynchburg, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn.

Rev. Billy Washburn brought us a wonderful message on "The Prayer of Faith" at Gladstone Memorial Church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hansen, of Lovingston are spending this week with his mother, Mrs. Nellie Hansen.

Janet Horsley spent the week end with Bonnie Balton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wallace and Mrs. Clara Hanenkrat, of Appomattox, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bea Wallace.

The Gladstone Rescue Squad carried Mrs. Ethel McCormick to Lynchburg General Hospital Friday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Washburn attended the pastors' conference at Union Church in Buckingham on Monday.

The Nelson Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Emily Akers on Friday for an all day quilting party. Each member brought a covered dish for lunch. Sixteen were present and extension agent, Mrs. Edith Friend. The quilt will be given to some needy family.

Mrs. Bea Wallace and Mrs. Emily Akers visited in Buckingham last Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wright spent the week end in Lovingston with her sister, Mrs. Mabel Martin.

Rev. and Mrs. Skinner and children, of Richmond, were guests of her father, Mr. Herman Cunningham.

ROCKS

Feb. 7 - It was quite cold here last week after the snow.

Jane Almond got out last Thursday to go back to school after having the mumps.

A number attended the Elliott funeral at Spring Creek Church last Monday afternoon.

S. E. Ranson was sick last week.

Mrs. Kate Dinkins of Crewe was in the neighborhood a few days last week.

Mrs. Cleve Baldwin died at the home of her son, Ernest Baldwin of Pamplin on Wednesday afternoon.

A very large crowd attended the Baldwin funeral Friday afternoon at Piney Ridge Church.

Friends and neighbors extend sincere sympathy to the family of Mrs. Cleve Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin attended the Young Farmers and Young Home Makers at Hotel Roanoke Friday and Saturday.

Friends are glad to know Mrs. Harry Jenkins is improving at Va. Baptist Hospital after an operation.

Mrs. Ernest Baldwin entered Lynchburg General Hospital Sunday afternoon for an operation.

Kem Hippe will enter Va. Bapt. Hospi. Tuesday for an eye operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Almond and children were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richardson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Paulette were visiting Mrs. Lizzie P. Robinson at Pamplin Sun. p.m.

Miss Karen Cabiness spent the week end with Nancy Ranson.

The Quartet furnished special music for the Preaching Service Sunday night. A large crowd was out. Rev. Elder brought a fine sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roach received word Sunday that their son-in-law, Larry Waynesboro had returned from the hospital after operation.

"Snow People" Mark 2nd Storm

The second measureable snowfall of the season on Wednesday, Feb. 2, meant no school for pupils of Appomattox, including Roy Lee Trent (above), seven years old and a pupil at Appomattox Primary. Roy and his mother Ruth (Mrs. Joel Trent) spent part of the day fashioning two snow figures. The snow woman, like many another "shopper" has both handbag, scarf and a wig! The "snow man" wears a bright cap. With button down "outfits" and accents for eyes and noses, these snow people are more than ready for a winter's day. By Monday, there was still a patch or two of snow on the ground, but these sculptures, like many others in Appomattox, had changed shape and size considerably.

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Town residents are urged to inspect their containers to assure that the cans do not have holes and have tight fitting lids. Cans with rusted bottoms and open tops encourage rats, insects, and other varmints by providing a source of food and shelter.

The Town Council urges each family to co-operate in the rat campaign by using good sanitation and distributing rat bait where needed.

By order of

Appomattox Town Council

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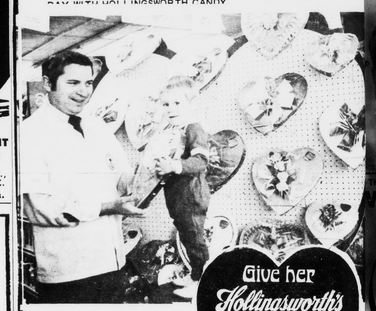

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FORMERLY SNEED'S PHARMACY

STONEWALL

...and Mrs. Jessie Judy, of ...burg, spent the week end ... Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McCraw ...visited the Osborn Davidson ...

Mrs. B. D. Stratton returned ...the University Hospital ...day and will have to go back ...treatment.

John Lawhorn is in a ...ursing home in Richmond. He ...Friday.

Eugene Cyrus underwent ...gery Monday and again Sat... Hope he may be home soon.

Mrs. J. P. Alvis had her two sisters, Misses Deel from Pincastle for the week end.

Mr. Gene Via, Ricky Via, Mr. and Mrs. Flowers, of Lynchburg, visited Hop Elliott Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Wheeler and Mrs. Elsie Krantz visited Miss Bake Davidson and brothers last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Judy, of Pincastle, spent last week with her father, Mr. Osborne Davidson.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler, Steve, Becky and Joan from Richmond, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wheeler.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler were visitors in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gillaspie Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curran and son, Johnie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Garrett Sunday. They are building a new home in the vicinity soon.

Mr. Hugh Braford and Mr. Wallace Bondurant visited Mr. John Lawhorn in the hospital last Wednesday.

Modernistic Club

The Club is happy to report to you at this writing that the sick in the community are still improving at this writing.

We wish to extend to you a thank you note from Mr. J. A. Hamlet for all of the kindnesses shown by his many friends during his stay in the hospital and since he has been home. He thanks you for prayers, visits gifts, phone calls, for your concern for him, and for every act of kindness shown fro m his many friends, both white and black. May God bless each of you.

Miss Mary Webb left the fifth Sunday, she will attend school in Longwood College, Farmville, Va. We are hoping her stay in Longwood will be very successful, the remainder of the term. Here is hoping for you the best Mary.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Fannie Womack has returned home from the hospital. We hope she is getting along nicely. We are also glad to know that her sister "Herm" is improving at this time.

We wish to report that First Baptist Sunday School is doing very nicely even though the weather has been bad recently. It was reported Sunday that a very nice audience turned out to the church for Sunday School. Your many friends, rejoice with you in your success.

In and out of town: Mr. Peter Flood visited his relatives and many friends in Appomattox, Va., over the week end. While in town, he was the week end guest of Mrs. Bertha Pankey and family.

Nurse Genevieve Holmes, visited in Lynchburg, Va. over the week end. She gave an account of having a very pleasant time with friends.

Mr. George Stevens and Mrs. Lillie Stevens attended the funeral service of the late Mr. William A. Calhoun Saturday at 1:00 p.m. Forest Baptist Church, Meherrin, Va. Rev. H. James Ellis, officiant, Mr. Cammie Hurt, organist.

See you next week!

BIRTHDAYS

J. Stewart ..... Feb. 11
Mrs. Pink Davis ..... Feb. 12
Elbert Dinkins ..... Feb. 14
Paula Franklin ..... Feb. 15
Ronnie Richardson ..... Feb. 23
Mary Hanson ..... Feb. 18

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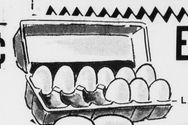

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